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LB 351 A, 733 A, 760,  
800, 967, 922, 937,  
951, 953, 954, 958

CLERK: Mr. President, I have several Committee on Committees reports reporting on confirmation hearings. Those will properly be read and laid over. Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports that we have carefully examined and engrosses LB 733 A and find the same correctly engrossed. 937 correctly engrossed. 951 correctly engrossed. 953 correctly engrossed. 954 correctly engrossed. 958 correctly engrossed. Mr. President, Senator George asks unanimous consent to print amendments to LB 867 in Legislative Journal. Mr. President, Senator Schmit asks unanimous consent to print amendments to LB 760 in the Legislative Journal. Mr. President, Senator Marvel and Cullan ask unanimous consent to print amendments to LB 922 in the Legislative Journal. Mr. President, Senator Merz asks unanimous consent to print amendments to LB 800 in the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: LB 351 A.

CLERK: Mr. President, (Read title to LB 351 A.) Mr. President, Senator Simon moves to indefinitely postpone LB 351 A.

PRESIDENT: Senator Simon.

SENATOR SIMON: Mr. President, I understand it's the only way I can do this. I can't withdraw it. That's what the Clerk advised me. If I could I would do that. Is that correct? Let me just ask the Chair. I wanted to withdraw 351 A and I was advised that I couldn't do that and I had to go through this rigamarole. I don't understand why I can't withdraw it.

PRESIDENT: Oh, you want to withdraw the bill?

SENATOR SIMON: Yes, that's what I asked several weeks ago.

PRESIDENT: Well, that does require the permission of the Legislature.

SENATOR SIMON: Six of one and half a dozen of another.

PRESIDENT: Well, except...

SENATOR SIMON: I'll leave it the way we've got it. Can I ask for unanimous consent to withdraw the bill?

PRESIDENT: No, it has to be voted on because it belongs to the Legislature now. It isn't like a motion.

SENATOR SIMON: Okay. Rather than indefinitely postponing it, could I just ask that we take a vote then? Would that be acceptable to subsequently...?

PRESIDENT: To kill the bill?

SENATOR SIMON: Yes. I have to have twenty five votes either way. Could I just...?

PRESIDENT: Well, why don't we kill it?

SENATOR SIMON: Okay. I'll go ahead and do it this way. It's simple majority to kill the bill. Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Why don't we kill it?

SENATOR SIMON: Yes, we're going to do that. It takes a simple majority.

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